# Gaiety Theatre

DUBLIN

GRAND OPERA SOCIETY

(Cumann Árd-Ceóldráma Áṫ Ċliaṫ)

—presents—

# LA TRAVIATA

(GIUSEPPE VERDI)

(By arrangement with G. RICORDI & CO.)

## Programme

# Gaiety Theatre

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Proprietors...... .....THE GAIETY THEATRE, DUBLIN, LTD.

**COMMENCING MONDAY, 7th MAY, 1951**

**NIGHTLY at 7.30 MATINEE SATURDAY at 2.30**

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**Presents**

**LA TRAVIATA** (Giuseppe Verdi)

**RIGOLETTO** (Giuseppe Verdi)

**TOSCA** (Giacomo Puccini)

**LA BOHEME** (Giacomo Puccini)

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**THE BARBER OF SEVILLE** (Gioachino Rossini)

**IL SERAGLIO** (Wolfgang Mozart)

By the HAMBURG STATE OPERA

GUEST ARTISTS:

GRE BROUWENSTIJN, DORIS DOREE, CLARA EBERS, VICTORIA ELLIOTT, ROSANNA GIANCOLA, HEDA GURA, ARDA MANDIKIAN, ANNALIESE ROTHENBERGER, BETTY SAGON, BRENDAN CAVANAGH, MARTIN DEMPSEY, GUIDO DIEMER, JOSEPH FLOOD, WALTER GIESLER, HORST GUNTHER, THEO HERMANN, JAMES JOHNSTON, FRITZ LEHNERT, KURT MARSCHNER, ADOLF MEYER-BREMEN, WALTER MIDGLEY, STANISLAV PIECZORA, CHRISTOPHER REUMER, SIGMUND ROTH, JESSE WALTERS, TOM WILLIAMS, JOAN BUTLER, VERA TERRY.

BOXES—80/-, 60/-, 40/ ; DRESS CIRCLE—10/- ; PARTERRE—7/- ; UPPER CIRCLE—4/6 ; GALLERY—2/-.

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SATURDAY, MAY 12th, at 2.30 p.m.; THURSDAY AND SATURDAY, MAY 17th and 19th, at 7.30 p.m.

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First produced: Fenice Theatre, Venice, March 6th, 1853

Words by FRANCESCO MARIA PIAVE, after the play "LA DAME AUX CAMELIAS" by ALEXANDER DUMAS, FILS.

Dramatis Personae:

Alfred Germont............CHRIS REUMER
Georges Germont (his father)............TOM WILLIAMS
Viscount Gaston de Letorieres............BRENDAN CAVANAGH
Baron Duphol............JOSEPH FLOOD
Marquis D'Orbigny............THOMAS BRADY
Doctor Grenvil............MARTIN DEMPSEY
Joseph (Violetta's servant)............J. G. BLACK
A Servant of Flora............JOHN McKEOWN
A Commissionaire............J. G. BLACK
Violetta Valery (la Traviata)............ROSANNA GIANCOLA
Flora Bervoix (her friend and confidante)............JEAN HEALY
Annina (Violetta's maid)............MONICA CONDRON

Friends of Violetta and Flora, Gypsies, Servants, etc.

Time: About 1800 Place: In and around Paris

Conductor............LIEUT.-COL. J. M. DOYLE

Production by POWELL-LLOYD

This Theatre is Disinfected throughout with Jeyes' Fluid

# LA TRAVIATA

**SYNOPSIS OF SCENERY**

**Act 1**...**DRAWING ROOM IN VIOLETTA'S HOUSE AT PARIS**

**Act 2**......**VIOLETTA'S BOUDOIR IN A COUNTRY HOUSE NEAR PARIS**

**Act 3**........................................**FLORA BERVOIX' MANSION**

**Solo Dancers : VALERIE BALLANCE, DESMOND DOMICAN**
**Zingari : JEAN LAMBERT, DOROTHY WARD, MARY BAXTER, WINIFRED KELLY**

**Act 4**....................**THE BEDROOM IN VIOLETTA'S HOUSE**

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**Personnel of the Ensembles :**—Gertrude Andrews, Marjorie Barry, Annie Bishop, Aoife Brennan, Mona Brase, Una Bodie, Patricia Cantwell, May Campbell, Monica Condron, Rita Cullen, Bernadette Daly, Maureen Dillon, Eithne Donnelly, Florrie Draper, Maureen Dunne, Aureen Fagan, Jean Healy, Marie M. Keogh, Eithne Larkin, Josephine Madden, Irene Maddison, Carmel McAsey, Mary McCarthy, Sheila McPhillips, Eileen Mee, Fay Markey, Alice Moffat, Maura Mooney, Kathleen Mullen, Maureen Murray, Ena Nolan, Pauline Nolan, Louie O'Hagan, M. de Riva O'Phelan, Barbara O'Toole, Maureen Ryan, Sheila Thompson, Peggy Thornton, Kitty Vaughan, Aileen Walsh, Sylvia Whelan, Dorothy White, Patricia Young.

Frank Armstrong, Thomas Brady, Joseph G. Black, Brendan Cavanagh, Thomas Claffey, John Duffy, Edward Duggan, Charles Dunphy, Henry Farrell, Patrick Kelly, James Larkin, John McKeown, Peter McGuinness, Peter A. Madden, Thomas Milne, Harold Milner, Gerard V. Mooney, Ralph Morris, Jack Murray, Austin Munnelly, William G. Nolan, William O'Kelly, Harry O'Neill, Barry O'Sullivan, Albert E. Timlin, Noel Tucker, Derek Walsh, Eric Hugh Wallace.

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Musical Director........................................LIEUT.-COL. J. M. DOYLE
Leader of Orchestra........................................TERRY O'CONNOR
Stage Directors...POWELL-LLOYD, SYDNEY RUSSELL, JOSEPH FLOOD
Chorus Master....................................DR. H. WALDEMAR ROSEN
Wigs by..............................................DRAGO, St. Stephen's Green
Wardrobe..............................THE DUBLIN GRAND OPERA SOCIETY
Executed by......MRS. CAFFREY Designer......MISS G. EUSTACE

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Stage Manager..............................................................T. DALY
Stage Electrician........................................................H. MORRISON
Scenery built at Gaiety Workshops
under the supervision of T. DALY and painted by ROBERT HEADE

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## NEXT WEEK

### DUBLIN GRAND OPERA SOCIETY

PRESENTS

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| Monday | BARBER OF SEVILLE |
| Tuesday | DIE ENTFÜHRUNG AUS DEM SERAIL |
| Wednesday | DIE ENTFÜHRUNG AUS DEM SERAIL |
| Thursday | LA BOHÈME |
| Friday | DIE ENTFÜHRUNG AUS DEM SERAIL |
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| Saturday Evening | LA BOHÈME |

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